Response to Restriction Requirement and Amendment Application No. 09/942,991

REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement, applicant elects, with traverse, Group I (claims 1-5, 11 and new claims 13 and 15 directed to a secondary battery). Claim 1-5 and 11 are amended and are now generic and link the battery and capacitor claims. Therefore, upon allowance of the generic claims, the claims to both the secondary battery and capacitor would also be allowable.

Prompt and favorable action is now respectfully requested.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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